Various Topics of Interest Presented in a

Condensed Form.

The demolition of Newgate has been abandoned, at least for the present, says the St. Jame's Gazette, and the arrangement of the sessions house, which adjoins the prison, has also been post-poned. This arises from the uncertainty which exists as to the prison ! arrangements of London. Complaints have always been made of the inadequacy of the Old Bailey to meet the requirements of the business transacted there. The accommodation for jurymen and witnesses was notoriously bad. That has now been remedied, but the other improvements which are called for will doubtless have to wait until some definite scheme of re arrangement has been determined upon. The chief argument in favor of the preser vation of both Newgate and the sessions house is on account of the historical interest, upon examination this history is by no means ancient. The sessons house, which was built in 1772, and which was burned in the Gordon riots in 1780, has almost completely disappeared. The present buildings have, therefore, little beyond their unpleasant associations and inconvenience to recommend them. The question is however, still before the city authorities, and the only difficulty in the way seems to be the selection of a suit-

One of the most eccentric of Parisians. the Baron de Joest, has recently died, bequeathing his property, worth more than £100,000, to the society for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals. As was to be expected, the baron's relatives intend to contest his will, and the revelations expected to be made during the lawsuit promise to be full of interest. The baron lived in a simple manner, attended only by a female servant, young and goodlooking, like the soubrettes whom one sees on the French stage. He was in the habit of changing his soubrette once or twice a morth. De Joest might be compared, owing to bis eccentricities, to the mad marquis of Waterford; but he was less genial than the Irish peer. On one occasion, after making his coachman get his carriage ready to drive him to the Bois de boulogne in a blinding snow storm, he countermanded the order, and toward 10 o'clock at night he repeated it as ain, going down to the stables to observe how the unfortunate coachman liked his caprices. The jehu, exasperated beyond measure, fell upon his master like a maniac, pommeled him without mercy, and flinging him into the carriage drove him off, nolens volens, to the Bois, cold, at 4 o'clock next morning. Next day the baron, summoning his coachman to his presence, gave him a hundred francs, and commended the strength of his arms. The baron belonged to myon. bringing him back, half dead from the his arms. The baron belonged to seventeen different humanitarian societies, but showed little proof of benevolence to man or beast during his lifetime.

A fire which took place lately in a remote village in China has destroyed a collection which was one of the most re- Eimo hotel last night to take part in a The descendants of Confucius are the only persons outside the imperial family There were 87 chances taken on the picnerations merges in the commonality The male heirs of the family of Confucius are dukes, and have resided for nearly twenty-five hundred years in their anceetral home in the province of Shantung. This residence was recently destroyed by fire, and all the historical articles presented by successive dynasties and admirers of the philosopher during all these centuries were consumed. As the present duke is a lineal descendant of Confucius there can be no doubt of the of ten chances. Edwin Booth's twenty authenticity of the collection, which can chances brought him one throw of forty now never be replaced. One of the latest additions was a beautiful gold cup made by a celebrated firm in Bond street, and presented by a gentleman whose name is now much before the public namely, Sir John Pope Hennessy, then governor of Hong Kong.

The law was published recently in the Official Journal for the sale of the French crown jewels. They are to be sold by public auction, but it is not yet decided whether the auctioneer's percentage is to go to one salesman or to the whole corporation of auctioneers. The latter is thought the best way to protect the state from underhand collusion. The jewels to be reserved are in three categories, marked A, B. and C. In the first are comprised the famous sword, the reliquary brooch, the Regent diamond, the dragon in rubies, pearls, and enamel, the elephant of Denmark. Those of section B are to be placed in the folk is their way of leading a lady up museum of L'Ecoin des Mines. They and down stairs, and American men are the diamond jewels known as briolettes, three rubies, twelve amethysts, humane thing, in imitating them in this thirteen large pearls, a lot of smaller respect," writes a Mexican correspondent. ones, two lots of turquoises, one lot of pink topezes, one lot of black pearls, a a step before his companion, and taking lot of emeralds, an opel, a large uncut her hand holds it up in such a way that diamond, and several lots of uncut any misstep or failure on her part would rubies, sapphires, emeralds and diamonds. Lot C comprises the imperial courtly illustration of gallant attention crown, the sword of the dauphin, and the sword of Louis XVIII. The gold in al Ramon Corona led his American wife them is to be sent to the mint and the stones they contain are to be sold.

The Swiss "commission for the reform of gymnasial instruction" has just issued its report. Three of its conclusions are of special interest. First, it is proposed that the teaching of Latin shall begin in the fifth class (in der Quinta), and shall be continued, for five hours weekly, up to the highest class. Second, instruction in Greek is to be declared fgkultativ; that is to say, it is to depend upon the expressed desire of the parents or guardians. It is to begin in the fourth class. Third, all scholars who do not would tap at the door I was to enter, relearn Greek are to learn either English or Italian in its stead; upon one of these have been of even such trifling service languages, according to the choice of the and with 'I am at your feet, senorita,' parent or guardian, these hours are to be spent weekly. Greek, like Latin, is to occupy five hours weekly. The two spare hours gained by the pupils in English or Italian are to be spent in the study of natural science and mathematics.

In all all at your test, senorita, bow himself away. If I ever saw him again I might bow or not, as I saw fit, For decent civility's sake I usually do recognize such parties, and in spite of the reputation Mexican men have for obtrusive gallantries I never found them presume at all on my salutations."

VICISSITUDES OF BOYALTY.

Biter Cup For Women Who Bave Worn Crowns.

klyn Citizen. Ex-Empress Eugenie, widow of the late Louis Napoleon, has recently applied to the Syndia of Naples for permission to attend the wounded soldiers who have been brought from Massowah, in the character of a hospital nurse. There is no reason for doubting that this has really been done, or that her request will be granted. Her lonely life, in its past, must, in its uselessness and seclusion, weigh heavily upon her, and in such ministration as she seeks to perform she may find that consolation and soothing that she needs.

The present must be to her a season so extraordinary a measure responsible live. must recall those days of brilliant vanity when she was the first lady in Europe, when her charlatan husband was practically dictator of the continent, and their only son, born in the purple, was fondly regarded as the founder of a dynasty. Now, not only is there none so poor to do her reverence, but nothing is left to her but bitter recollection. Her husband died in exile and disgrace, a thoroughly exposed and discredited tricks ter, at large only because his captors despised him too much to make a prisoner of him. His only son was killed by a savage in one of England's petty wars. To the oceans of blood already shed by them oceans more are to be added, for which she is at least guilty.

France's war of revenge is the direct consequence of her reign. Modern history is full of vicissitudes of rayalty. Since the great Napoleon died at St. and suggestive. But among the host only one parallel is to be found for the unhappy Eugenie, and she is mercifully out of her senses. Carlotta, widowed by the richly earned bullets of the patriotic Juarez, does not realize even now the magnitude of her fall. Gross and detestable Isabelia of Spain consoles herself with cards and brandy and a private life which is a public scandal. Eu- opiates. Price, twenty-five cents a botgenie's fate is the most pathetic of them all. Let us hope that, like the faithless Queen Guinevere, in good deeds done and penitent self-abnegation she may find peace at last.

Endurance of Society People. A prominent society lady of Washington being asked by the Prince of Wales, "Why

Mary's Luck Sticks to Her.

Philadelphia Press.

A number of the young as well as the old friends of Edmon S. Connor, the oldest living American actor, met at the Sta markable in the world, writes a correspondent of the Manchester Gaurdian. "St. Francaise in his cell," which is said to be the work of Murillo. whose titles descend unimpaired from ture at \$10 each. A chance entitled its father to son. In other cases the son's purchaser or his representative to three title or rank in the nobility is one de- throws of three dice, with a possibility gree lower than his father's, so that every of throwing as high as 54. The friends noble family in the course of a few of Mr. Connor and the obliging hotel clerks took turns in rattling the dice box, while an interested circle of onlookers surrounded the table to see that Mary Anderson, Edwin Booth, Joseph Jefferson, and other absent subscribers had a fair show at the picture.

Mary Anderson's representative threw thirty times, as his principal had taken ten chances. He succeeded in making a record of forty-four. Joseph Jefferson had a good record of forty-three out one. George W. Childs, who had five chances, tied Mr. Jefferson's forty-three. When the eighty-seven chances were thrown Mary Anderson's record stood unequaled and she was officially announced as the winner of the picture.

When Mr. Connor was informed of the fact he was very much pleased. "She's a good girl," he said warmly. "She was the first to subscribe for the picture, and I am glad she got it. I told her if she won it I would send it to England for her, and I will." The picture was purchased by Mr. Connor's father in 1818, and has been in the son's possession for fifty year's. Joseph Bonaparte pronounced it genuine. If it is an original t is worth a bout \$10,000.

A Pleasant Custom.

"A Mexican custom which is extreme ly pleasant and convenient to us women and down stairs, and American men would do not only a courteous, but a respect," writes a Mexican correspondent.

"In descending stairs the Mexican goes a step before his companion, and taking her hand holds it up in such a way that any misstep or failure on her part would be sustained by him. I think the most courtly illustration of gallant attention I ever saw was the way in which General Ramon Corona led his American wife down the broad stairway of the house my family occupied in Durango when I was a child. I then and there resolved that when it came my time to select a husband I would subject him to that test of grace. In ascending the lady test of grace. In ascending the lady takes her escort's arm and is thus assisted by him. I have often had an utter stranger, seeing me about to mount the stairs alone, step forward and offer his arm. Accept it? Certainly. Why should one be brutal enough to reject a courtesy tendered in all good faith and kindliness? Arrived at the top the man

An Atchison paper says:" So far sixty women have registered for the approaching municipal election. The total registration probably will not react one hundred. Of those registered all are married with one or two exceptions. So far as Atchison is concerned, the municipal suffrage bill is a failure."

Atchison Champion: A Kansas man as turned up as a men ber of the Tertorial Cou neil of the to-be organized erritory o f Cimmerron in 1 oman's land. he Kansa s Eli referred to is Rev. R. Over-et reet, well known in Emporia, nd later in Larned.

Newton Republican: Alfred Denham, confined in the Newton jail for murdering a woman in McPherson county, and sentenced to hang, attempted to of extreme bitterness. France in arms out his throat with a razor, he had manto redeem the past for which she was in aged to conceal on his person. He will

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WOMEN OF THE WORLD.

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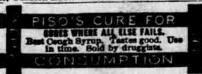
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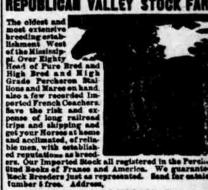


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